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HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

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Rules may be obtained on ap-

For the Hongkong and Shanghai

Hongkong, August 1, 1891.

Intimations.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF

HONGKONG, No. 1,165.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FILHE Transfer BOOKS of the Company

NAVAL AND MILITARY RIFLE

MEETING.

TITHE NAVAL AND MILITARY RIFLE

MEETING will take place at Kow-

LOON RANGES on the 17th, 18th, 19th, and

Firing to commence daily at 9 A.M.

The following Competitions (ALL

COMERS) will be entered for on the

Ground, at the Committee Tent, and the

Competitors squadded at the time of entry.

VANISHING MAN Open every day during

ALL COMERS, 500 yards, open from 2 P.M.

to 5.30 P.M. on the 17th and 18th

ALL COMERS, 200 yards, open from 2 P.M.

to 5.30 P.M. on the 19th and 20th.

The VOLLEY FIRING will take place

CARBINE '300 Y'RD ' COMPETI-

The LADIES'COMPETITION on THURS-

TIONS will be on THURSD Y MORNING,

Firing to commence on the Military Range

about 3.30.

Matshed near the 300, yards Firing Point

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY.

LIMITED.

NOTICE

FTER this date NO FULLY PAID-U.

A SHARES of this Company will be

TRANSFERRED on which the Calls on the

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THE MIKE COAL MINING

COMPANY.

THE MIKE COAL is a bituminous

Steam purposes, it has been pronounced to

be the best and the most economical of

Its export is increasing yearly, and the

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LARGEST REGULAR CONSUMERS are in testi-

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WINDSOR HOTEL

(in Connaught Buildings),

QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.

THE Private Hotel heretofore carried on

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MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA,

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L Coal of dark roddish colour. For

R. LYALL,

Secretary.

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Military Range. Price, 75 Cents.

Hougkong, April 13, 1893.

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By Order,

ALL THE JAPANESE COALS.

Freshness of the Coal.

Uniformity of quality.

Quick despatch.

Freedom from impurities.

Best of weight, etc., etc.

Hongkong, October 1; 1892.

Undersigned :-

Hongkong, April 10, 1893.

the Meeting from 91.M.

29th April, both days inclusive.

Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

20th APRIL

Morris Tube...

of on the 19th.

DAY, the 20th.

Afternoon of the 20th.

20th inst.

NOTICE.

will be CLOSED from the 12th to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents.

Regular MEETING of the above

LODGE will be held on MONDAY,

F. DE BOVIS,

Chief Manager.



metablished.

1845.

Vol. XLIX. No. 9419. 150 Fleet Street WALSE, LID., Singapore. Yokohama, Lane, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & Co. Banks. LIMITED. NUBSCRIBED CAPITAL,....£ 500,000. Chief Manager. Bankers. BANK (LU.) Interest for 12 months Fixed 5 %. Current Accounts LATE AUTHORISED CAPITAL,.....£1,500,000. Bankers: Balance. Hongkong, February 4, 1893. CAPITAL CALLED UP # 251,093.15.0. David McLean, Esq. H. Hoprius; Esq. Head Office:

AGENTS FOR THE OHINA MAIL LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lune, Lombard Street, E. C. Gronoz STREET & Co., 80, Cornhill. Gondon & Gotoe, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SANCURL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154, THE business of the above Bank is con-SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-Leadenhall Street. W. M. WILLS, 151. Cannon Street, E.C. ROBERT WATSON, PARIS AND EUROPE:-AMEDBEPRINCE. INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 36. Rus Lafauette Paris. NEW YORK; -J. STEWART HAPPER, THE 31 PER CENT. per aunum. Depositors CHINESE EVANGELIST OFFICE, 52, West may transfer at their option balances of SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports 2100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on generally :- Bran & Black, San Fran-FIXED DEPOSIT at 41 PER CENT. per AUSTRALIA. TASMANIA. AND NEW ZEALAND :- GORDON & GOTOR, Mel- annum

bourns and Sydney.

ONYLON: W. M. BMITH & Col. THE APOTHECARIES Co., Colombo. BINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.:-KELLY & CHINA :- Macao, A. A. DA OBUZ. Amoy, N. MOLLE & Co., LIMITED. Foochow, HEDGE & Co. Shanghori, LANE, ORAW-FORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA AUTHORIZED CAPITAL £1,000,000. the '7th Instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. pre-

cisel. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. Rongkong, April 10, 1893. OHINA SUGAR REFINING D. GILLIES, Esq. | CHOW TUNG SHANG.

CHANKITSHAN, Eaq. Esq.
C. J. Hirst, Esq. W. Wotton, Esq.
KWAN Hoi Chuen, Esq. GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

LONDON, YOKOHAMA, SHANGHAI, AMOY AND FOOCHOW.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF SCOTLAND. PARP'S BANKING COY, and THE ALLIANCE

do. 4 %. do. 3 % Hongkong, January 7, 1893.

MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED. CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA.

SUBCT BED, £1,125,000. LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, L'TD.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at the Rate of 2 % per Annum on the Daily at 2 P.M. on THURSDAY, the 20th, instead

ON BIXED DEPOSITS :-For 12 Months,...... 3 For 6 Months,...... % For 3 Months,..... 3 % JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED. Susscribed Capital ... £2,000,000.

Board of Directors. MM. KESWICE, Esq., Chairman. Adolf von André, Esq. | F. D. Sessoon, Esq. Egbert Iveson, Esq. H. D. Stewart, Esq.

> Hongk mg Committee. The Hon'ble J. J. KESWICE. The Hon'ble C. P. CHATER.

3. PRINCES STREET, LONDON. Branches:

BOMBAY, CALTUTTA, HONGXONG & SHANGHAY PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA. RATES OF INTEREST,

Allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed: Deposits, can be ascertained on application. CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager. Hongkong, April 10, 1893.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION

PAID-UP CAPITAL\$10,000,000. PROPRIETORS S10,000,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS :--H. Hoppies, Esq.—Chairman. C. J. HOLLIDAY, Esq. - Deputy Chairman. Carl Jantzen, Esq. | A. McConachie, Esq. Hon. J. J. Keswick. J. S. Moses, Esq. Coal.
Julius Kramer, Esq. D. R. Sassoon, Esq. ATTENTION is called to the following. J. S. Lapraik, Esq.

OHIEF MANAGER: Hongkong-F. Dr Bovis, Esq. MANAGER :

Shanghai-J, P. WADE GAEDNEE, Esq. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING Co. LD.

Hongkong-Interest Allowed. On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily balance mp to \$200,000. On Fixed Deposits,-For 6 months 3; per cent. per annum.

8200.000. in on suma in excess of \$200,000. F. DE BOVIS.

Chief Manager. Hougkong, April 14, 1893.

GLENEALY BUILDINGS, (Nos. 12 and 14, Wyrulham Street.) ARS. GILLANDERS has VACANCIES furnished, and Rooms with mer without IVI for REMIDENT BOARDERS and VIRITORS Board; by day of month. Apply at the also Accommodation for Table Boarders. Office, No. 37, 3rd Floor. Hongkong, July 1: 1892.

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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 1893.

Business Notices.

SINGLE STICKS AND MASKS. FENCING FOILS AND MASKS. NEW VENTILATED BOXING GLOVES. FOOTBALLS, DUMB BELLS, QUOITS.

"HARTS" SQUEEZERS" PLAYING CARDS, CHESS, BACKGAMMON, DRAUGHTS, DOMINOES, DICE AND OUPS, DRAUGHT AND CHESS BOARDS.

CRICKETING SUNDRIES. BILLIARD CUES :-- A Good Assortment of Plain-ash, Balanced Handles and BILLIARD BALLS, CUE TIPS, CEMENT, POCKETS, OLOTH, RESTS, OHALK, CUE-TIP-FASTENERS, SPOTS, BRUSHES, &c. A COMBINATION BILLIARD AND DINING TABLE. SALOON and ROOK RIPLES, MATCH RIPLES, COLTS' REPEATING

CARBINES, WINCHESTER MAGAZINE CARBINES. HAMMERLESS POWLING PIECES IN CASES, COMPLETE. SMITH & WESSON'S REVOLVERS, BULL DOG' REVOLVERS, COLTS' REVOLVERS. SADDLERY and STABLE REQUISITES. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, March 2, 1893

ORIENTAL STEAM PENINSULAR &

NAVIGATION COMPANY TYTILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES

STEAMSHIP. LONDON vid MARSEILLES ... Canton About 18th April Freight and Passage. SHANGHAI Formosa Daylight, 19th April .. Freight and Passage. SHANGHAI AND JAPAN Ancona About 24th April Freight and Passage. LONDON, &c.... Mirzapore..... Noon, 27th April..... See Special Advertisement.

(Freight only, calling at Colombo, STRAITS AND

BOMBAY......Lombardy....About 29th April ... if sufficient inducement offers. For further Particulars, apply to

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, April 15, 1893.

H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent.

RE LANDING EX STEAMSHIP NINGCHOW

OVER SOO PIECES OF SUMMER DRESS GOODS

(Any length cut-Parterns Free by Post). W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 15, 1893

HONGKONG HOTEL.

Telegraphic Address, "Kremlin"—A.B.C. Code. THE Most Commodious and BEST-APPOINTED HOTEL in the Far East; situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hougkong Club, and adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony). The Hotel Steam Launce conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail

The Prizes will be presented at 5.30 p.m. The TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy. By kind permission of Lt. Col. RAVEN-The BED-ROOMS, with adjoining BATH-ROOMS, are lefty and well ventilated, open HILL and the Officers 1st Shropshire Light on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric com-Infantry, the Band will play during the municators. The READING, WRITING, and SMOKING ROOMS, Ladies' DRAWING LUNCHEON can be obtained daily at the

ROOMS, the New BAR and Public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience. A GRILL ROOM, where chops, steaks, &c., are served at any hour, adjoins the

WINES and SPIRITS of the BEST BRANDS only. HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

Hongkong, October 21, 1892.

NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty. R. TUCKER, Manager.

THE MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL. 1,400 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL.

MARIFF FROM DECEMBER 1sr. 1892, UNTIL APRIL 30TH, 1893, SUBJECT 10 ACCOMMODATION BEING AVAILABLE. CHICDREN BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT. Sitting-room by the Day ... \$ 2.50 | Tiffin \$ 1.00 Sitting-room by the Month 30.00 Dinner 1.50 Extra Sed-room by the Day ... 2.00 European Servants by the Day ... Extra Bed-room by the Month ... 20.00 European Servants by the Month Bed and Breakfast 2.50 (Bedroom extra) 20.00 Breakfast 0.75 Chinese Servants by the Day ...

THAMWAY TICKETS will be supplied to Residents and Visitors at the Hotel at reduced rates.—For further Particulars apply at the Company's Office, 38 and 40, Queen's Read Central, or to R. ISHERWOOD, Manager, Mount Austin Hotel. Hongkong, October 7, 1892.

GOODS. NEW SELECTION OF WHITE AND STRIPE FLANNELS AND SERGES.

TROPICAL TWEEDS, HOMESPUNS AND COATINGS. TERAI HATS (ALL COLORS) AND SUN HATS. BOOTS AND SHOES. WATERPROOF COATS AND UMBREILLAS.



MACGREGOR & ALDBECK, Wine and Spirit Merchants,

Removed to CONNAUGHT HOUSE. Citisine under European management. Each Bed-room has its own Bath-room. Hot and Obld water. Passeour Elevator Hongkong, August 18, 1891. PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE, I to all Floors.

Charges from \$2 per day upwards. Special Rates for Families or Fermanent Boarders. Offices and Rooms to let Un-1004 MHongkong, August 23, 1892.

13, Queen's Road.

-PRIVATE BOARD & RESIDENCE. MARS. FALCONER has VACANCIES VI for RESIDENT BOARDERS, at Kowloon, Victoria View. Hongkong, March 4, 1893.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths. NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS. VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED

BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES. ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS. NAUTICAL BOOKS. English SILVER & BLEOTEC-PLATED WARE, 1612 Christofle & Co, & RLEGTRO-PLATED WARE, GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY

in great variety. DIAMONDE DIAMOND JEWELLERY, A Splendid Collection of the Latest London Entertainments.

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Intimations. TENDER.

17TH THETANT, at Noon. For the MITSUI BUSSIN KAISEA. Y. FUKUHARA.

ly care they bestowed upon my son.

SHANGHAI RACES.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

Fores :- First Salcon\$60. Second n840.

No. 29 (SPECIAL).

SHANGHAI DISTRIUT. WOOSUNG INNER BAR.

of water on the Woosung Inner Bar, will be examined on TRUESDAY, the 20th in the line of the Feima Channel Marks, is now the same as in the line of the Old Bar Marks, and that the mares and lights for the Feima Channel will be discontinued whenever, and so long se, the depth in that passage shall be less than the denth in the

A. M. BISBEE. Coast Inspector.

Cuast Inspector's Office. Shanghai, 4th April, 1893.

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordin-ary General MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS of the above Company will be

held at the REGISTERED OFFICES of the Company, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, on TUESDAY, the 18th Instant, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Governing Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts for the year 1892. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th Instant to the 22nd Instant, both days inclusive.

Secretary. Hongkong, April 11, 1893.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY. LIMITED.

SIX PER CENT. DEBENTURES. SECOND DRAWING.

THEREST DUE on the above DEBEN-TURES for the Six Months ending requested to deposit their Debentures at the Orrice of the Undersigned for the NTO. 2, Peppea's STREET, next to the

Payment of the Drawn Debentures, as per published List, and Interest on all Debentures will be made on application at the OFFICE of the Hongkong and Shanghat BANKING CORPORATION on and after 19th

By Order. R. LYALL, Secretary. Hongkong, April 12, 1893.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

COMPANY, LIMITED,' will be held at the Offices of the Company, No. 2, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on MONDAY, the let day of May, 1893, at 3 o'clock in the Afternoon, when the subjoined Resolution will be pro-

serted, viz.:-Invest- lat .- It may invest the Funds of the

Company in or upon English, In-Stocks, Bonds, and Funds, and in or upon the Stocks, Bonds, Funds, and Securities of any Foreign Government, Country, or State, and upon Mortgage of freehold or leasehold property in Hongkong or MANAGER or to the Undersigned. elsewhere, and in or upon deposits with or loans at interest to any Banking Institutions wherever established, and in or upon such other Securities as it may in its discretion think fit, and may from time to time convert or realize any monies so invested and re-invest Securities aforesaid as occasion L zequiries.

By Order of the Board, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary.

Doors Open at 8.50. To Commence at 9. PRICES OF ADMISSION.

LAST PERFÜRMANCH (SATURDAY) EVENING, at 9 o'clock Tickets may now be obtained at Mesers. KELLY & WALSH, LD.

Notices to Consignees.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

STEAMSHIP OLDENBURG, FROM BREMEN AND PORTS

1HE above-named Steamer having arrived, Consigners of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongrong and Kow-LOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LID., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. OPPIONAL CARGO will go on to Shanghai

unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-Day, the 13th Instant No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 20th Inst. will be subject to rent. OTICE is hereby given that the depth are to be left in the Godowns, where they

> Instant, at 4 p.m. All Claims must reach us before the 22nd Instant, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHEBS & Co.,

Hongkong, April 13, 1893.

TO LET. OFFICES-1sr and 2nd Floors of No. 4, Queen's Road Central, over the BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN & STRAITS, LTD. Nos. 11 and 12, Coomes Royal - a Large

FURNISHED HOUSE at MAGAZINE GAY. No. 10. OLD BAILEY. No. 7. PRAYA CENTRAL, at present occupied by the NEW ORIENTAL BANK IN LIQUIDATION. New HOUSES in RIPON TERRACE, Bonham Road, near Breezy Point. New HOUSES in ELGIN STREET, PEEL

STREET and STAUNTON STREET. No. 4, Blue Buildings. FLOORS in BLUE BUILDINGS. GODOWN, No. 1A, BLUE BUILDINGS. SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES, at MAGAZINE GAP. Very cheap rental.

No. 5, VICTORIA VIEW, KOWLOOK. GROUND FLOORS, No. 5, SHELLEY Street. NORMAN COTTAGE in ALBANY ROAD. 'THE WILDERNESS,' CAINE ROAD. No. 6, KNUTSFORD TERRACE, KOWLOOK.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., Lad. Hongkong, April 12, 1893.

TO LET.

G. C. ANDERSON, 13. Praya Central. Hongkong, March 1, 1893.

TO LET,-From May next,-HERMI. TAGE, CAINE ROAD—FURNISHED. Rent moderate.

For Particulars, apply to R. C. WILCOX. 70, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, March 6, 1893. TO LET.

HIRD FLOOR in No. 6, QUEEN'S No. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 4, OLD BAILBY STEEET.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, April 10, 1893. HONGKONG BOTEL Co., LD.

NOTICE. ROOMS TO LET. dian, and Hongkong Government LIROM and after 1st April. 1893. I monthly tenants only, ROOMS in the old portion of the Horat, facing Queen's Road and part of Pedder Street. TERMS for a ROOM and BOARD \$70 @ \$75

per month. Application to be made to the By Order, R. LYALL,

Secretary. Hongkong, March 24, 1893.

the same in or upon any of the DOUR ROOMS (furnished or unfurenished) above the Kowroon Orun, Kowloon, with Two BATH ROOMS.

> Apply to DOBABJEE NOWROJEE, Victoria Hotel.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Shipping. Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOODROW. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Goodand, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 16th Instant,

Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers. Rougkong, April 15, 1893.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON.

HAMBURG AND ANTWERP. The Steamship

Radnorshire,

Capt. F. Davies, B.N.E.,

will be despatched as

above on or about MONDAY, the 24th The Steamship Inst., instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, April 14, 1893.

FOR ILOILO (DIRECT.) The Steamship will be despatched as above on TUESDAY,

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agente Hongkong, April 12, 1893.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY FOR SHANGHAI PIA AMOY.

and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship The Co. a steamsnip

Titan,

Captain Brown, will be
despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 20th Instant. For Freight or Possage, apply to

Hengkong, April 12, 1893.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG. (Calling at NAPLES for landing Passengers if sufficient inducement affers.) (Taking Cargo at through rates to

LIVERPOOL AND BREMENA The Steamship Kriemhild,
Captain TH. Förck, will
be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 20th Instant, at Noon. This Steamer has superior Accommoda-

SIEMSSEN & Co., $oldsymbol{A}$ gents. Hongkong, April 11, 1893.

LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.

above on FRIDAY, 21st Instant. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabing are situated forward of the Engines. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. The Co.'s Steamship

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, April 6, 1893.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co,'s Steamship Orestes. Capt. Rawlines, will be despatched as above on

FRIDAY, the 28th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Agents Hongkong, April 7, 1892.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 100 A.I. British Ship Owen, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight apply to SHEWAN & Co.

Hongkong, February 20, 1893.

Hongkong, April 8, 1893. Hongkong, March 15, 1893, Patterns, at very moderate prices, 748

Report to the HULL of the S.S. CHARTERS TOWER will be Received UITY HALL at the Orgice of the Undersigned up to the Under the distinguished Patronage of H. E. the GOVERNOR. IMPERIAL CHING LING FOO TROUPE OF MAGICIANS.

Manager. Houskong, April 14, 1893. NOTICE.

BEG to express my sincerest Thanks to the DOCTORS of the GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL for their kind and skilful treatment of my son, who for several years suffered from disease in his feet, and who has been completely cured in the Hospital and I also return thanks to the Nurses, particularly Miss WALKER, for the mother-LO KUM WOO.

Hongkong, April 14, 1893.

THE MESSAGERIES MARITIMES CIR. THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL issue RETURN TICKETS to SHANGHAI by their STEAMERS available for return by either Line and allowing of ONE MONTH'S STAY at SHANGHAL.

Hongkoug, April 14, 1893. NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Marks and Lights for Feima Channel probable discontinuance of.

line of the Old Bar Marks.

Imperial Maritime Customs. HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE

JOHN A. JUPP,

NOTICE.

19th Iust., and the 300 DRAWN DEBEN TURES will be PAYABLE on and after WEDNESDAY, 19th Inst. Holders are necessary endorsement between the hours IN Post Office-suitable for OFFICES of 10 a.m. and Noon on the 17th and/or or CHAMBERS 18th Inst.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING of THE OHINA FIRE INSURANCE

That the First Subsection of Article 103 of the Articles of Association of The China Fire Insurance Company, Ltd., with its marginal note, be expunged, and that in lieu thereof the following Subsection and marginal note be in-

Hongkong, April 15, 1893.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

OF CALL the 18th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through vates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER, DAM, LISBON, OPORTO, LONDON,

tion for First and Second Class Passengers and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess. For Freight or Passage, apply to

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

The Co.'s Steamship R. NELSON, Commander, will be despatched as

is carried. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, April 4, 1893

entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon

FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL W. N. SHAW, Comm'der, will be despatched as above on or about the 24th Instant.

Mails. NOTIOE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STRAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX; PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA. IN WEDNESDAY, the 19th April, at Noon, the Company's their Steamship SALAZIE, Commandant PAUL, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, John and CARGO, will leave this Port for the abovo places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for Roye London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the Nick principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon. . Cargo will be received on board until 4 1.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p. m. on To the 18th April, 1893. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at In the the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are For further particulars, apply . Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, April 5, 1893 U. S. Mail Line. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. City of Rio de Janeiro (via Nagasaki, In-land Sea, Kobe, & Thursday, April 27. Yokohama)..... City of Peking, (via) Nagasaki, Inland Thursday, May 18. Sea, Kobe, Yekohama & Honolulu) China, (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Tuesday, May 30. Honolulu)..... THE U. S. Mail Steamship OITY OF RIO JANEIRO will be despatched prefor SAN FRANCISCO, piá NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA and YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, the 27th April, at 1 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan the United States, and Europe. Steamers of this line pass through the .-INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route. Through Passage Tickets granted England, France, and Gormany by trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on appli First Class Passengers have full choice of any of the Overland Routes, including PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, NORTH-ERN PACIFIC, and DENVER and RIO GRANDE RAILWAYS. They can also travel over the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY, on payment of \$10 in addition to the regular tariff rate. Particulars of the various routes can be had on application. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Navai, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, Overland Railway, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico. Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Freight will be received on board until p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the office unti 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; vaiue of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at Sau Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, April 13, 1893. NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIT AND RAILROAD COMPANIES. Proposed Sailings from Hongkong, 1893. (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION). Tacoma | Saturday | May C. Mogul..... | Saturday | May 27. Victoria..... | Saturday | June 17. Tacoma...... | Tuesday | July 18. Mognd..... | Tuesday | August 8, Victoria..... | Tuesday | August 29.

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1	Intimations.	Vessels Advartis	sed as Loading.
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	YUNG CHUNG & Co. (與順海上),	Destinatio Vessels.	A jonts. Date o Leavily.
ļ	from Shanghai, are prepared to undertake CONTRACTS and JOBS for PAINTING,	P. P. D. L. (C.III (C) 24 channels	Maria de la companya
Į,		Bremen & Ports of Call Oldenburg (8) H've, L'on, H'bg & A'p Radnorshire (8)	Norddoutscher Lloyd May 1, at 3 p.m. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About April 24.
•	Houses, also for making CABINETS and FRENCH POLISHING FURNITURE,	Iloilo Doris (a)	Butterfield & Swire April 18. P. & O. S. N. Co About April 29.
	All Orders will be promptly, faithfully and	London & Ports of Call Mirzapore (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co About April 18, P. & O. S. N. Co April 27, at noon.
	satisfactorily executed. Best Materials	London v. Suoz Cona Drestes (s)	Arnhold, Karberg&Co. About April 24. Butterfield & Swire April 28.
	neat and boat style guaranteed.	Marse lle . v. Saigou . Salazie (s)	Messageries Maritimes April 19, at noon. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About May 6.
	No. 15, Wellington Street.	Port Darwin, &c Taiyuan (s)	Butterfield & Swire April 21.
,		S. Francisco, v. Japa City of Riode Janeiro (s. San Francisco) Celtic Chief.	
	Not Responsible for Debts.	Shanghai, via Amoy. Titan (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co About April 18.
.	Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for	Shanghai & Japan Ancona (s)	.P. & O. S. N. Co About April 24.
	any Debt contracted by the Officers or	S'pore, Havro & H'bur Krieinhild (s)	.P. & O. S. N. Co About April 29.
,	Orew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :	S'tow, Amoy & F'chow Haitan (8)	Douglas Lapraik & Co. April 18, at noon
,	BANDANEIRA, British barque, Capt. J. C. Jenn.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Vancouver (B.C.) & Empress of India (s) Victoria (B.C.), &c Tacoma (s)	Nor. Pinc S. & R. Cos. May 6, at noon.
9	Josephus, American ship, Capt. T. N.		VISITORS AT HOTELS.
-	Rogers.—Reuter, Bröckelmann & Co. R. R. Thomas, Amer. ship, Capt. P. B.	l'o-day's Advertisements.	for extend for and extendiging in
0	Nickels.—Shewan & Co.	THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM	HONORONG HOTEL. Miss Barbs Capt. Moore, R.N.
ì	SENATOR, British ship, Captain H. J. Smith.—Melchers & Co.	NAVIGATION COMPANY,	Miss Comly Mrs Nicol Mr and Mrs Fagan Mr and Mrs Paul
4	To-day's Advertisements.	LIMITED.	Mr and Mrs Forrest Miss Phillips Col. Gulliland Mrs C. Popoff
t		NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	Mr J. A. Haines Mr Fred. E. Sheat Col. J. C. Hill Mr M. Sopher
_	In the Matter of the Companies' Ordinances 1865 and 1890,	FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE.	Mr E. Latter Count de Thury Mr J. P. Lawson — Mr V. To Mr A. Lind Mr and Mrs Warren
	In the Matter of the BALMORAL GOLD	(FIHE Company's S.S. Ningchow having	Lieut. P. O'Malloy, Mr J., H. Watson
	MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.	Consignees of Cargo are hereby in-	A.S.C. Captain Yacka
- 1	ORDINARY General MEETING	formed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-	WINDSOR HOTEL. Capt. S. Ashton Capt. and Mrs Mor
2	COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at	KONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.	Mrs D. Bander Mr P. Oustin
	No. 1, Duddell' Street, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on MONDAY, the	No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all	Mr J. F. Boutton Mr F. J. Richards Mr N. P. Brown Mrs Rodwell, and
	1st day of May 1893, at 12 Noon, for the purpose of considering and if thought fit	Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 21st	Maj. & Mrs Chapman children Capt. F. E. ComptonMr Rondo
	passing the following Resolution that is to say:—	Instant, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods	and amah Mr A. F. Sigmund
	'That the Company be wound up volun- tarily under the provisions of the Com-	are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 20th Instant, at	Mr G. Engel Mr E. Smedley
D	panies' Ordinances 1865 to 1890.	4 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and	Vice-Consul P. Gavan-Mr John Smeldley nilles Mr L. Talbot
	Dated 14th day of April, 1893. By Order of the Board of Directors,	any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 21st Instant will be subject to rent.	Mr Kreidner Capt A. Tillett
	JNO. S. LAPRAIK, Chairman.	Optional Cargo will be forwarded un- less notice to the contrary be given before	Mr Tohn P. Lawson Mr A. Trant Mr W. G. Lawis Lieut. Commander
7.	IN THE SUPREME COURT OF	10 a.m. Fo-DAY. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by	Hon. N. G. Mitchell-Mrs Tufnell
	HONGKONG.	ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,	Innes Mr and Mrs Watl Mrs Mitchell-Innes Mr C. J. Wilson
8.	IN-BANKRUPTOY.	Agents. Hongkong, April 15, 1893. 707	MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.
	In the Matter of KOWK YIN KAI,		Lieut. Col. and MrsMr and Mrs Hard Baker and child
	a Bankrupt.	BHIPPING	Mr Beattie Mr and Mrs C. H. Mr S. L. Benjamin loway, nurse an
	ING of CREDITORS of KWOK YIN		Mr H. E. Boxshall children Mr Hart Buck Mrs Van Nicrop
F	KAI will be held before the REGISTRAR of the said Court, on MONDAY, the 1st day	Mingaham Dritish atanman 1738 K K	Rev. R. F. Cobbold Mr A. Ross Mr Cochrane Mr F. Saunders
z ed	precisely, for the purpose of declaring a	Allen. Liverpool March 2. and Singspore	Cohen Saunders
I ,	CREDITORS who have not yet proved	1	Mr Alfred J. Easton Mr and Mrs H.
۱ .,	OF MAY, 1893.	Saigun April 10, Rice, Paddy and Cotton	Mrs Fawkes & maid Mr Taylor
n,	Dated the 11th day of April, 1893.	Melchers & Co. April 15: -	Mr Geo. Fenwick
ho	708 Registrar.	Tweed, British gunboat, from Tytam Bay.	" Mr Ed. Auguma" . Mr and Mrs black
пŧ	IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.	Wirern, British cruiser, from Tytam Bay. Choysang, British steamer-from Canton.	Mr W. Bhrraclough Mr McLellan Mr B. Blanco Mr Morris
ed te.		Framnes, Norwegian steamer, 958, A. Tharbjornsen, Bangkok April 8, Rice and	Mr J. Brown Mr Nichels
		Paddy Donwers, Castlet & Co.	Mr Cunning son

Paddy. - Dodwell, Carlill & Co.

DEPARABLES

Lightning, for Singapore and Calcutta.

N. J. S. St.

PASSENGERS.

A KRITTING

Per Pullux, from Saigon, 15 Chinese.

Per Ningchow, from Singapore, 205 Chi-

Per Framnes, from Bingkok, 5 Chinese.

Per Nanking, from Bangkok, 5 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

Kelly, Mr and Mrs Lun Chi Sang ; for Cal-

cutta, Miss Simpson, Miss Oldendorf, and

TO DEPART,

for Shanghai via Foochuw. Mr and Mrs J

EXPORT CARGOES.

Per S. S. Kaisow, sailed 23rd March :-

For London, 75 bales Waste Silk, 958 pkga.

Palm Leaf Fans, 300 pkgs. Tea (unknown),

300 casks Soy, 265 pkgs. Canes, 200 bags

Turmeric, 27 cases Chinaware, 13 bales

Feathers, 10 bales Hammocka and 4 cases

Per S. S. Glenavon sailed 1st April :-

For Marscilles, 200 bales Waste Silk; for

London, 259 bales Waste Silk, 10 cases

Per S. S. Conch, sailed 4th April :- For

Marseilles, 100 bales Wasto Silk, 110 bales

Per S. S. Agamemmon, sailed 7th April:

-For London, 4,109 pkgs. Ten, 1,200 pkgs.

Hemp, 2) balos Waste Silk, 220 cases M.

O. P. Shells, 15 cases Cigars, 47 bags

Tumorio, 700 cases Ginger, 159 casks

Ginger, 100 casks Soy, 20 boxes Essential

Oil and 13 cases Curios; for Liverpool, 7

tan Core and 14 boxes Bristles.

France, 25 cases Essential Oil.

673 | Silk ; 599 bales Raw Silk.

cases Cigara; for New York, 19 pkgs. Rat-

Per S. S. Bombay, sailed 10th April :-

For London, 50 bales Waste Silk, 15 cases

Chinaware, 11 cases Persian Opium, 875

pkgs. Matting, 1,000 bales Hemp, 714 boxes

Tea, containing 14,994 lbs. Congou; for

Per S. S. Malwa, sailed 13th April :-

For London, 110 bales Canes, 59 pkgs,

Matting, 260 bales Waste Silk, 133 bales

Pierced Cocoon, 110 bales Raw Silk, 5 cases

Silk Piece Goods, 633 boxes Tea containing

13,293 lbs. Congon, 8 pkgs. Sundries; for France, 4 cases Silk Piece Goods, 27 bales

Loaf Tobacco from Manila, 12 bales Waste

Blackwoodware, 3 cases Silk, &c., 2 cases

Chinaware, P/Effects and 1 box Ginger.

A. Haines, and Miss Courly.

Per Haitan, for Foechow, Miss Martin

Per Lightning, for Singapore, Mr E. S.

April 15 : - .

-Melchers & Co.

Triumph, for Hollow.

Ching Ping, for Can on,

Verma, for Yokohama.

Chusan, for Haiphong.

Haltan, for Swatow.

Hongay, for Swatow.

D. S. Gubbay.

and most powerful type. Supervi- Canes, 24 bales Human Hair, 3 cases Silk

Kwang Lee, for Shanghai.

Ningchow, for Shanghai. -

Chemig H ck Kida, for Amoy.

In the Matter of KWOK PAK SHING,

NTOTICE is heroby given, that a MEET

SHING will be held before the REGISTRAR of

the said Court, on THURSDAY, the 27th

day of April, 1893, at 12 of the Clock at

Noon precisely, for the purpose of declaring

Dated the 11th day of April, 1893.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI.

Captain ROAGH, will be despatched for the above

Ports on TUESDAY, the 18th Instant, at

MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL

STOKES, Commander, will be despatched for the

above Port on or about SATURDAY, the

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6th of May.

J. S. VAN BUREN,

THE Steamship TACOMA, Captain Hill, sailing at Noon, on SATUR.

DAY, the 6th May, will proceed to VICTORIA, B.C., and TACOMA, via

SHANGHAI, INLAND SEA, KOBE and

. Pecific Coast Points, and to Canadian and

Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan,

Consular Invoices of Goods for United

States Points should be in quadruplicate;

and one copy must be sent forward by the

Parcels must be sent to our Office with

For further information as to Passage or

DODWELL, DARLILL & Co.,

address marked in full by 5 p.m., on the

steamer to the care of The General Agent Dakin,

YOKOHAMA.

United States Points.

day previous to sailing.

Hongkong, April 13, 1893.

Freight, apply to

Agent.

CREDITORS who have not yet proved

must do so on or before the said 27TH DAY | Rig. for Saigon

ALFRED G. WISE,

Registrar.

The Co.'s Steamship

ING of OREDITORS of KWOK PAK

a Bankrupt.

a Second Dividend,

of April, 1893.

Mr Cunning Mr W. Schwaler Mrs Farther Kie', German steamer. 831, Krutzfeldt Mr & Mrs J. Seigroz Mr Flayortero Newchwang April 4, and Chefoo 8, Boans. F.Mr Arathoon Seth Mr van Slaars Nanking, Norwegian steamer, 835, N. Mr J. Smith Mr Gardirao Mr D. C. Smith Sorgusen, Bangkok April 8, Rico, --King Mc A. Wannan Mr John Stewart Mr George Stewart Mr Kahlue Capt. Kolod . . . Mr Alfred Swan Mr J. H. Kothari Mr Vivior Rev. Lumart POST OFFICE NOTICES MAILS will close:—

For SINGAPORE .-Per Bantum, at 4 p.m., on Monday, the

For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI .-Per Hailgang, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the listir inst. For SHANGHAL .-

Per Formoson at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the 18th 168 For KUDAT & SANDAKAN.-Per Mennon, 4t 2.30p.m., on Wednesday, the 10th inst.

For SHANGHAI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA HONOLULU & SAN FRANCISCO. Per Oceanie, at 0 30 p.m., on Thursday, the 20th just., instead of as previously notified,

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET, -The British Contract Packet Mirzapore will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 27th Instant, with Mails for the United Kiugdom, Europe, and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlemen's Netherlands India, Burmah, Coylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing

the Mails, ac. Preserves, 580 rolls Matting, 348 cases MAILS By THE FRENCH PACKET.-The French Contract Pagrot Salazie will

> 19th Last., with Mays for the United Kingdom, Europe, fand places beyoud, via Marseilles, / to Saigon, Straite Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mailed &c.

he despatched on WEDNESDAY, the

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before.

8.00 a.m.—Posting of Prices Current and

Circulars ceuses.

(Prices Chrrent and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all one way). 10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. 10.30 A.M. -Pusting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M.—Mail closes. ZO LATE LESKERS may be posted (from

11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to

11.30 A.M., after which hour they may

be sent on Board with the same Late

Point and steamers in Harbour may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.
Letters from Kowleon Point may be posted in the Letter Box which has been placed in the Police Station Compound up

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Per Kriemhild, at 11.30 s.m., on Thurs-

Letters Parcels, &c. for Kowloon

MAILS will close:-

day, the 20th inst.

For SINGAPORE.

to 12 and 4 o'clock. Local rates will be charged. To avoid robbery, senders of letters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word stamped across Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery

There will be no Sunday delivery. PEAK DELIVERY .- Letiers, &c., will be delivered by the 12 and 3.30 o'clock Trams only. Correspondence and Parcels for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. or 3 p.m., or in the Letter Boxes in the Cars till time of

&c. should be registered.

Departure. With regard to letters from the Peak additional Letter Boxes have been affixed to Police Boxes at Magazine Gap, by Peak Church, and at Mount Kellet which will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m. Local Rates will be charged. No Sunday delivery. Senders are requested to cancel their Stamps by writing the word Stamped across them. Covers containing Bank Notes, &c. should be registered.

Money Orders.

1 .- Money Orders can be obtained at Hongkong and Shanghai on the following Countries, at current rates of exchange. Canada.

Forchow, Ningpo, Hankow, and Shanghai).

China Ports (Hoihow, Canton, Swatow, Amoy, dson | Ceyloo. nd 4 (Hawaii (Sandwich Islands). British India (including Burmah and the Agencies of the Indian Post Office in the Persian Japan Ports (Nagasaki, Osaka, Hiogo, Kobe, Kiote, Yokohama and Hakodate). New South Wales. New Zealand. British North Borneo. Siam (Bangkok only). Straits Settlements (Singapore, Penang and Mulacca). Tasmania. United Kingdom. Victoria. Western Australia. DRAWN THROUGH LONDON OFFICE Foreign Countries:-Austria-Hungary. Bulgaria. Denmark (including Iceland and Farce Islands). Danish West Indies.

. J. France, with Algeria. German Empire (including Heligoland and the Holland. Italy (with Agencies at Tripoli, Assab and Massowah). Norway. Orange Free States. Portugal (including Madeira and the Azores). Sweden: Switzerland. Transvaal. Tanis. ay & | United States. Foreign Cities and Towns :-

Constantinople. Salonica. Papausa. Tangier. Adrianople. Beyrout. British Colonies :--Cyprus. Falkland Islands.

WEST INDIES. Bahamas. Malta. Barbadoes. Bermuda. Newfoundland. British Gniana. AFRICA. British Honduras. British Bechuanaland Dominica. Cape Colony. Gronoda. Jamaica. Gold Coast Colony. Montserrat. Nevis. Mauritius. St. Kitts. Natal. St. Lucia. -St.-Helcna. St. Vincent Seychelles. Tobago. Sierra Leone. Trinidad.

Turks' Islands. 2. Orders on the Countries drawn through he London Post Office are paid less the following discount for which the remitter should allow. All such Orders must be expressed in British For sums not Exceeding £2,

.. Exceeding £2 but not Ex'ding £ 5 .. 6d. £7 ,, ,, £10 1s. 0d. 3.—The commission obarged is as follows: according to the currency the cauce is drawn in). Up to £ 2, or \$10, or 20 Rs., ... \$0.20 , £ 5, or \$25, or 50 Rs., ... 0.40 £ 7, or \$35, or 70 Rs., 0.60 £10, or \$50, or 100 Rs., 0.80 __ 150 Rs., 1.00

4.—No Order must exceed £10 or \$50 (unless drawn on India, when Rs. 150 is the limit), nor will more than two such Organs be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payer, by good condition. the same mail.

5.—Sums not exceeding \$50 may be remitted between the Ports of China by means of Postage Stamps, subject to a charge of one per cent. for cashing them; or Money Orders can be granted at Hon kong or Shanghai on Ports where there Our are Agencies of the Hongkong Post Office. General Post Office, Hongkong, 1st January, 1893.

Honorone, April 15, 1893. OPIUM-New Patna, cash, ... 5634 Old , cash, ... 5701 New Benares, cash, 575 cash. — New Malwa credit, 520 Allowance, Catties, 2/3. Old Malwa, credit, 530/50 Allowance, Catties, 1½/3 Persian, Oily, cash, -Allowance, Catties, -

Quotations.

Temperature. Honokono, April 15, 1893. (Taken at Messes Falconer & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Road.)

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Allowance. Catties. ---

Вакометек — 9 а.м.... ... 29.93 1 P.M.\... 29.90 4 P.M. ... THERMOMETER-9 A.M.... ... 76 1 P.M....\ ... 80 4 P.M.... (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 72 1 P.M. 76 Do. 4 P.M. _ Do. Do. Maximum Do. Minimum over night

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORKOW Shipping.

Daylight .- Haitan leaves for Coast Ports. Miscellaneous. Transfer Books of the Humphreys Estate & Finance Co., Ltd., closed from this

date to 22nd Instant, inclusive. MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Meetings. a.m.—Navy and Military Rifle Meeting

at Kowloon Ranges.

9 p.m.-Meeting of Perseverance Lodge. Tenders Close. Noon.—Tender for Repairs to the Hull of the a.s. Charters Tower received at the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha's office.

Miscellaneous. Goods per Maria Valerie undelivered after this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda.

vestay, April 18 :--Noon,-Meeting of Shareholders Humphreys Estate & Finance Co., Ltd., at Company's Office.

WEDNESDAY, April 19:-Interest on the 6 % Debentures of H.K. Hotel Co., Ltd., payable. THURSDAY, April 20 :-Goods por Oldenburg undelivered after this date subject to rent.

FRIDAY, April 21 :--Goods per Ningchow undelivered after this date subject to rent. MONDAY, May 1:--Noon.-Extraordinary Meeting of Ba

moral Gold Mining Co., Ltd., at No 1. Duddell Street 3 p.m.—Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of The China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., at Company's Offices.

Exchange. Honokong, April 15. On London-Bank, Wire, ... 30 days' sight, 2/8 4 months' sight, ... 2,8 Documentary 4 months' sight, On Paris-On demand. Oredits. 4 months' sight. ... 3.45 On Berlin-Demand, 2.72 On New York-On demand, 66} Oredits, 60 days' sight, On Bombay-On Calcutto-On Shanghai-On demand, 711 30 days' sight, private paper, 722 Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tast) Sovereigna (Bank's buying cate) \$ 7.31

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that the head of the Government of the whenever practicable, are desputched by First Steamer leaving after receipt of order.

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No Credit given for Bottles that look dirty or greasy, or that appear to have sensation there. The whole, with the been used for any other purpose than that exception of the face and hands, had been of containing Aerated Waters, as such Bottles are never used again by us.

The publication of this issue commenced at 6,45 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 1893

WHATEVER may be said of its lack

elther of public spirit or artistic taste,

the non-Asiatic community in Hongkong cannot be accused of a want of appreciation for athletic sports. Physical recreation, in all its forms, is indulged in to an extent which might almost justify its being described as a mania. Well, the lover of athletics will roply, if it is a mania, it is a beneficial one. And there can be no doubt that he is right. In an article which we reproduce from an Indian contemporary, there are some serious reflections on the subject of race degeneration in Anglo-India which might, to some extent at least, be applied to Hongkong. If it be true-and we fear there is hardly any room for doubt on the point—that the children of European parents born and bred in 9 p.m.—Convocation of Victoria Chapter. | the tropics do show race deterioration, we should think the deteriorating influences could not be more effectually combatted and minimised than by those invigorating physical exercises to which boys at home owe so much of their healthfulness and grit. Lord Harris who speaks with authority on the subect, in addressing the members of a gympastic institution at Bombay recently, said- I have lately thought that I detected a slight suggestion that there was too great a fondness for athletic sports amongst the young people of the Presidency. . . But I would say to you, if there is any idea of that kind existing, are you quite sure that those young men whom it is thought are giving up too much time to athletic sports, would, if not so engaged, be better able to employ their time?" This is a very modest plea for athletics, but it is nevertheless an effective one. In a climate like that Hongkong, one might naturally suppose that there was greater danger of young men indulging too little in such exercises than of their indulging too much, and it is gratifying to find so keen an interest in athletics as does exist on the part of Young Hongkong. In the schools, Physical Education receives a large share of attention, and every encouragement is given to the boys to take full advantage of it. The Government has recognised the desirability of providing the best possible facilities that can be given to the youth of the colony for engaging in outdoor games and sports, and the result is the recreation ground at the Happy Valley, where football and cricket find many voteries among the younger members of the community, while the calm delights of golf attract those who have done with violent exercise. The Victoria Recreation Club fulfils, to a certain extent; the functions of what may be called an advanced school of physical education. The members have the privilege, if they choose to avail themselves of it, of getting instruction from a thoroughly competent Instructor in gymnastics, &c. There are abundant opportunities for boating, and these are largely taken advantage of. Up till quite recently the Club could boast of a fairly good swimming bath. The bath, indeed, is there still, but as the recent extension of the Praya has converted it into something like a cesspool, it is now practically useless. Swimming members, however, are in hopes that something will be done ere long to provide for their wants. With all these, and the various other means which the colony affords for enjoying healthgiving exercises, it ought to be possible to reduce the deteriorating effects of the climate to a minimum, if not to neutralise them altogether. Sir William Robinson, who evidently takes a very keen interest in education, has shown that he quite appreciates the importance of the physical aspect of the subject, a fact of which fresh proof was given by his pre-We continue to supply large bottles as since at the V.R.C.'s little entertainment last night and by his encouraging words. Such entertainments, we need hardly say deserve all the encouragement which can be given to them, and it lis certainly a gratifying thing to find

TELEGRAMS. (Supplied to the 'Onina Mail."

colony holds that opinion.

(Via Southern Line.)

FAILURE OF ANOTHER AUSTRA-LAIAN BANK.

London, April 13, 1893. The English, Scottish and Australian Chartered Bank has suspended payment Its Australian deposits are Four Million Sterling and its British deposits One Million. Hopes are entertained that it will

be reconstructed. EGYPT.

The Anti-British press in Egypt is exultant over the arrival of the French Squadron and regards this event as of the highest political importance.

COREA.

The American Government has ordered a man-of-war to proceed to Cores in consoquence of the receipt of an official desplatch intimating that a rising against the whites was threatened.

RASPBERRYADE AN alleged discovery at Naples of a beautiful suthentic portrait by Titlan of Christopher Columbus has caused a great coarsely painted over. This extraneous coat being removed the figure in the uniform of a Spanish admiral was revealed. The pose and colouring are very quiet; the fece is that of a man with hair just A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. turning grey. The eyes are blue, thoughtful, and even sad; the mouth is THE HONORONG DISPENSARY, HEADXONG firmly out, and he wears a pointed, short 505 blonde beard and mountache.

PARSED SUEZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND :- Endeavour. Feb. 21 Torridon, 24; Queen Anne, March

Amaranth, Strathlyon, 10; Golden one month's imprisonment. Cross, 14; Pathan, Glengarry, Bel. lona, 21; Breconshire, Orion, 24; Thisbe, 28; Ajax, Bengloc, Pingsuey, Isis, Irene, April 4.

mills, 28; Eton, March 3; Aden, 14; Tartar, 17 ; Neckar, Palamed, Salatiga, Sydney, Malacca, April 4.

The Pacific Mail S. S. Co.'s a.s. City of Rio de Janeiro, with mails, &c., from San pected here on or about Monday, April 17.

The M. M. Co.'s steamer Melbourne, with the FRENCH MAIL of March left Singapore on Wednesday, Mar. 12, at 9 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, April 19. This packet, brings roplies to letters dospatched from Hongkong on Feb. 8. The Northern Pacific Company's s.

Tacoma left Victoria, B.C., for

The O. & O. s.s. Gaelic, with mails, &c., left lulu and Yokohama on the 4th inst.

The E. & A. Co.'s s. s. Menmier, from here on or about the 16th inst.

The s. s. Kutsang, with mails &c. from Calcutta and Straits, left Singapore on April 11, and may be expected here

this port at 1 1.m. on the 13th inst. The P. & C. Co.'s s.s. Thibet left Singapore on the 12th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 18th inst.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Titan left Singapore on the 12th inst., and may be

The Glan Line steamship Glangarry, from London for this port, left Singapore on April 14, and may be expected here on or about April 20.

The D. D. R. s. s. Pakling, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the 14th inst., and may be expected herson or about the 2 th inst.

UNION OHURCH. -SUNDAY, APRIL 16TH, Hymns, 208, 155, 103; Paulm, 103 verses 1-12; Anthom, 5.

ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL -SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PARTER (16TH APRIL.) Matins :- Venite, Kempton ; Psalms, Wel-

don, Rimbault, Hiles, Kelway,; Deum & Jubilate, Best. No. 130; Anthem, O Saviour of the World, No. 64 : Kyrie, Barnby 100 A ; Hymn, 197; Offertory Sentences, Stainer. Evensong :- Pealms, Turle, Cook, Hoyword, Hopkins; Magnificat & Nune Dimittis, Parisian Tones (Stainer);

THE M. M. Co.'s s. s. Salazis left Shanghai for this port at noon to-day.

blessing, 29; Hymns, 241, 245.

THE D. D. R. str. Bellona, from Hamburg, The usual exercises on the horizontal bar left Singapore for this port yesterday aftersoon, at 6 p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 20th inst.

THE China Mutual Company's steamer Pakling, from Loudon and Liverpool, passed the Canal on the 14th inst., and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the for rope-climbing for which his most for-2nd May.

Last night, two men, a woman and a boy, Championship Cup, presented by the comresiding at 25 Graham Street, were poison- mittee of the V.R.C., resulted in a win for ed, and have had a narrow escape from W. Armstrong by 5 marks to 2. His death. It would appear that the roison opponent was W. Purcell, who did had been administered in their evening not show up well till near the close of and remanded till further investigations have been carried out by the police.

THE Chinese magician, Ching Ling Foo. assisted by his clever son, a boy of twelve years of age, made his first appearance in the City Hall Theatre last night before a fairly good audience. The performers, judging by the neutness and case with which they accomplished their tricks, are tions of European or Japanese illusions the performances of his son, Fi Fo Fum, Pathens from the Hongkong Regiment. In in his acts of contortion, and his amusing the course of the evening His Excellency appearance with two heads and four arms; presented the prizes won by W. Armstrong but the best feat which the boy essayed and J. Alves; and at the close the Chairwas the plate spinning, which was simply man proposed a hearty vote of thanks to marvellous. He succeeded in keeping a Mr C. H. Thompson (who goted as Secretary couple of plates spinning on two sticks for the entertainment) and Sergt.-Instructor to z variety of different and difficult Tennant, on whom most of the work devolvpositions and sometimes almost hori- ed. A word of praise should also be contaily. The entertainment was re- bestowed on Mr Lishorel, the Steward of the peated this afternoon and will be given Club, for the complete and comfortable again to-night, when it is expected that H. amangements he had made for the members and visitors. E. the Governor will be present.

To-DAY at the Magistracy, Inspector Hanson charged Chan Po, butcher, with failing That the Athletic Sports season in Hong. to report the arrival of a bullook on the 14th inst. at Yaumati. He was fined by 3 ; Cape Comorin, Tellous, 7 ; Hornhead, Capt. Hastings \$10, with the alternative of

At the Magistracy to-day Inspector Clerihew, of the Sanitary Department, charged Houzwand Bound :- Java, Feb. 14; Bush- Lan Chin, 17 Centre Street, before Captain Hastings, with failing to notify that a man named Lan Kai, residing at 17 Centre Street, was suffering from smallpox. He pleadedguilty. A certificate from the Coloni-Francisco to 23rd March, left Yoko. al Surgeon was produced bearing out that the bama for this port on Wednesday, man must have been ill for at least eleven April 12, at 2 p.m., and may be ex- days. Sentence-\$25; or two months imprisonment with hard labour.

LAST night Inspectors Stanton and Quincoy and Detective-Sergeant Holt boarded a sampan, No. 2538, lying alongside the P. and O. steamer Verona, and seized forty balls of opium of the value of \$560. The two women who were in the sampan were arrested, and brought be-Hongkong, vid Japan ports on Sunday, fore Captain Hastings at the Magistracy The R. M. S. S. Empress of India left this morning. One was fined \$25, with Vancouver for Hongkong via Yoko the alternative of two months' imprisonment, hama, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai and the other 85, with the alternative of fourteen days' imprisonment. Their San Francisco for this port via Hono- story was that they were hired by a fireman on board the steamer to take the opium from a pier near the Central Market, Sydney, left Port Darwin on the 6th and bring it alongside the steamer. Half inst. for this port, and may be expected of the value of the opium and of the fines will be divided amongst the police officers by whom the arrest was made.

THERE appears to be a little difficulty with The M. M. Co.'s s. s. Yarra left Saigon for regard to the Military Parade Ground. The military authorities have placed a soldier at the ground with orders to prevent Chinamen from trespassing, and it would appear that orders have also been given to prevent the Chinese from leaning upon the rail enexpected here on or about the 19th closing the ground. On Thursday a Chiness detective was requested to move off by the sentry on duty. The detective, who was also on duty, showed the sentry his badge, but the 'Shropshire' had his orders, and with that 'sweet unreasonableness' which distinguishes the British soldier when on duty, proceeded to 'run in' the detective. subjecting him to the additional indignity of twisting his queue. As a matter of fact the rail does not belong to the military authorities, although the parade ground does, but to the Colonial authorities, and the sentry, even assuming that he was noting rightly in arresting a constable on duty, had no right to object to his louning against the rail. Of course, when the matter was reported to the superior officers, the detective was released, and it may be presumed sentries will in future be cautioned to be more

Anthem, Holiest, breathe an evening THE V. R. C. assault-at-arms, held in the Gymnasium last night, was an unqualified success. There was a large attendance of members. The Hon J. H. Stewart Lockhart, Chairman of the Club, presided, and H. E. Sir William Robinson was present. were gone through in an expert and businesslike fashion, and in the lance and sword exercises the pupils acquitted themselves with credit. J. Alves gave an exhibition of slack-wire balancing which was very good for an amateur, and the same young gentle man was successful in carrying off the prize midable opponent was J. Cardno. The final bout in the fencing competition for the meal, which was partaken of about six the bout. As is usually the case, the greate'clock. At eight o'clock, when the est interest was shown in the boxing. That symptoms of poisoning had unmistak- it was something more than the noble art ably shown themselves, information was of self-defence' was too obviousia the meetsent to the police, who had the sufferers ing of Cardno and B. F. Taylor. From promptly removed to the Government the first it was a case of pure slogging, and Civil Hospital, where emetios were ad- from the way in which Cardno was knocked ministered with satisfactory results. One about it looked all the world to a rushlight man has been apprehended is connection in favour of Taylor. In the second round with the affair. He was brought before | Cardno came up briskly, and began to knowle Captain Hastings at the Magistracy to-day, Taylor about in a fushion which did not meet with the approval those who wished to see boxing. Taylor went down repeatedly in the most unexpected manner. The round was brought to a speedy termination by the officiels, and the third round was also stopped before it had proceeded far. Far prettier were the rounds between H. J. Gedge and C. Dewar, R.N., and between Private Beckett, S.L.I., and Corporal Thomas, considerably above the ordinary class, and R.E. Gedge, in particular, boxed very while some of their feats are mere repeti- prettily. Thomas did not have his own way so much as usual, but he did not there are many which we have nover seen appear to be exerting himself, kept his tembefore and which quite took the audience per admirably, and took his punishment by surprise. As we stated before, Uhing smilingly. The team which performed the Ling Foo's wonderful tricks are accom. Indian club exercise deserve special complished with but little in the shape mendation for the accuracy with which they of apparatus. He used a towel or went through their graceful evolutions. a table cover as the only means for Variety was lent to the entertainment by producing large bowls of water, contain- the Indian wrestling of Bombardier Sochate ing live fishes, large pots with plants, Singh and Gunner Heem Singh, and the &c. Not the least marvellous items were feats in swordsmanship of a detachment of

FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR kong has this year astonished the world not only this portion of it, but that outside-if what the sports call the 'clocking' is in order.

That we are always willing, and are not always astonished, to be ahead of the world generally in amateur competitions, and I am not sorry personally that we seem to have broken the amateur records.

That perhaps the Amsteur Clubs elsewhere will combine to send a deputation to investigate the 'clocking' of our Sports, and may thereby discount the records

That at the same time it appears on the face of it (the clock, I mean) that Hong. kong has 'seen' the Amateur world generally.

That, seriously speaking, and apart from any possible mistakes of stop-watches, we seem to have in our midst several athlotes who would push, run, or jump their way through or against any assemblage of amateurs anywhere.

That it may reasonably be asked, Why not? and the answer would be difficult That we do not desire, notwithstanding,

to take a first position in regard to records of athletic sports, unless the clocks are beyond suspicion. That I see your morning contemporary has

sounded what I cannot but think is a false alarm, which is also misleading and That he insinuates the arrival of Mr T.

Jackson will bring about a change of policy in the Hongkong Bank, which will enable men who cannot now obtain accommodation to get, what they desire. That few thinking men who know what the

Bank and the Colony have gone through within the last two or three years will question that the tightening of the Bank's purse strings has been fully justified, and that Mr De Bovis is worthy of all praise. That to suggest, because of the advent of the genial Mr Thomas Jackson, the policy. of the Bank is to be changed, is but a poor compliment to either of the

Managers, past or present. That, whatever modifications may be considered advisable by any successor-and each manager has to deal with the circumstances and conditions of his timethere can be no question that Mr De Boyis has dealt with one of the gravest crises of the Bank (and the Colony) in a way which has done him very great

That those people who entertain the notion that the advent of Mr Jackson will bring about a radical change of front, do not give much credit to the foresight or the discrimination of the Board, or of anything that has been done during the last year in Banking affairs bere.

That Mr De Bovis deserves well of the Hongkong Bank, and Mr Jackson had. done much for our local institution before we heard much of Mr De Bovis: but these gentlemen are both in the same boat, they work for the same ends (the good of the Bank), and it is absurd to say the one will undo the good gained

That your morning contemporary admits | R.N. the good service done by Mr Da Bovis to the Bank, but what I object to is the be more lenient than his predecessor. That as things financial are now said to be a little easier than they were—though it is hard to prephesy until we are outside the silver wood-it may be that more margin may be fairly allowed, in accordance with the rules in banking institutions all over the world ; -but that would come only in proportion to the safety ensured by the general outlook.

That I hear several stocks are looking upward, and that the industrial enterprises -notably Docks-are busy manufacturing dividends. That the failure of the Sanitary Board to form a quorum the other day is not cre-

ditable to the absent members of that public body. absent, and if anything like a proper check were placed upon the members, some satisfactory or unsatisfactory ex-

That it may be too trite to suggest that such a sad lapse means a lack of public would doubtless say that nothing of public interest was to be discussed. That the annual reports of the Superintendent and of the Veterinary Surgeon were to be placed before the Board, and surely

those doou-sents deserved some considera-That perhaps the novelty of the Sanitary Regiment, under Bandmaster Murphy. Board has passed off in a measure, and the routine of work had been left to just one too short-three of the members, instead of four.

That when the much-talked-of Municipal Council is formed, I would suggest that any member who has not attended a given number of meetings by six months' time should cease to be a member. That the reports of the Sanitary Board for.

tunately found a place in the public press, malgre the inability of the Board to form a quorum. That they were of great interest, from a

mutton, and pork, etc. etc. That, if I remember aright the credit is due | Mr Manners' Discount, 11.4...... to Mr Hugh MacCallum for suggesting a properly-qualified Veterinary Surgeon for this Colony, and certainly the step has more than justified itself.

That the report of Mr Ladds is one of the by half-a-length. most reassuring which the Colony has had during the term of his service, for the simple reason that he has only during the last year or two received the recognition from the Government necessary to reason-That there is no doubt the food supply has a

great deal to do with the sanitation of a place, especially one like Hongkong. That the checks now introduced (after yours of remonstrance on the part of Mr Ladds) 53rd Regiment's Bigfoot, 11.5...... give one a renewed appetite and a fresh desire to demolish one's dinner which Mr Landaly's Emerald, 11.5..... could not have been supplied before they were in force.

That the case the other day, in which certain prisoners were convicted of slaughtering a Mr Hough's War Horse, 11.6..... bullock on the hillside, shows the straits to which lawless natives have been driven. and is indicative of the wholesome check now enforced.

That considering the unqualified success of the proposals made by the Colonial Veterivany Surgeon; towards the improvement of the beef and milk diet of the Colony, it is only reasonable to assume that any further improvements that are proposed should be at once adopted.

That the audden collapse of the roof of the house known as Burnbrae, and the parrow escape of the inmates, suggests, Capt. Murray's Fairplay, 11...... the careful inspection of all houses which may lay claim to an ancient history in the Colony. That much has been said about the suspen-

gion of the Hongkong Government Scholarship, and some rather wild remarks have been made on the subject. That heesuse the Government has thought it advisable in the meantime to reviee the conditions of a scholarship which means a payment of £800 sterling, in four year an

up roar has been raised. That although not more than a dozen or so of boys have come forward to compete. although some \$25,000 have been spent upon the scholarship, and although not one boy has returned to the Colony who has been thus helped on in the world. notion that some revision is necessary has been received with a bad grace.

That I am not against the Government Scholarship, although I thought from the first £200 a year was a semewhat lavish expenditure, but some consideration might be shown to what has been done, to the poor return made, and the necessities of primary education. That I sincerely hope your account of the Mr Whitehead's Silverspur

disaster at Kam-li is an exaggeration, as I never heard or read of so horrible, fiendish or demoniacal a business in all Mr May's Chestnuts my experience. That if the venerable Viceroy of Kwangtung | Mr. Grey's is prepared to remain inactive is a matter

like that, how can any one give credit to Mr Landale's China for civilised government; and always supposed that the Celestial Empire if the officials had a mindito do so. That Mr Gladstone has determined to appoint a successor to Lord Tennyson, but he hesitates, waiting a communication

from the Odd Vols. That England has started on a wild career That our Naval Estimates for the year are

£14,240, showing an actual saving of one hundred pounds sterling over those of That a dog-tax would not be popular, but

few taxes are. That nevertheless it is necessary not only to augment the Colony's income but also to diminish the number of unaffiliated curs by which our streats are overrun. That private efforts, aided by a pea-rifle, have done much in my immediate neighbourhood, but a wider field of action and active police co-operation are requisite. That dogs as a rule are well-conducted animals possessed of gentlemanly instincts, but even in their ranks there are cads by a couple of lengths. who seem to forget that some people like to devote their nights to sleep.

That many severe things have been said of silver, because of its present depreciation. That it remained, however, for Mr Montague, M.P., to accuse it of having introduced 'a gambling spirit only tempered by discredit into trade.

That the subject is doubtless a trying one. but it coarcely justifier your highly. respected morning contemporary making reference to 'Averni,' even clothed in classical Latin.

HONGKONG POLO-CLUB SKY MEETING. SATURDAY, 15th APRIL, 1893.

Robinson, K.C.M.G. Patrons :- His Excellency Vica-Admiral Barker, C.B.; Commodore Bury Palliser, course at the Black Rock.

Committee : - The Hon. T. II. Whitehoad, Captain Reynolds, R.A.; H. L. Smyth aide hit, implying that Mr Jackson will Esq., Shropshire Light Infantry; J. Arm. strong, Esq.; Captain Du Boulay, R.A. Captain Thomas, A.S.C.; T. F. Hough, Esq.; C. E. Ruck-Keens, Esq., Shropshire

Light Infantry. Honorary Secretary and Treasurer :- F. H. May, Eaq. Judge: -The Hon, C. P. Chater. Starter :- John Grant, Esq. Clerk of the Scales -J. Armstrong, Esq. Clerk of the Course : - C. E. Ruck-Keene.

This Meeting was brought off at the Happy Valley this afternoon. The weather was summerlike and at the commoncement the jockeys had to weir topées to protect That seven out of the ten members were them from the scorehing rays of the sun. At first the attendance of the general public was somewhat measre, but as planations would be forthcoming for such | the day advanced the number of spectators increased till there was a fairly added. Subscription Griffins, bond fide large crowd. Fields ruled amill, and interest, for many of the members the racing was about as poor as anything ever seen in Hongkong, and there was a disappointing want of 'go' about the whole of the afternoon's procoodings.

During the afternoon selections of music were played by the Bind of the Shropshire The following results were obtained up

to the time of going to press :-1. THE SALOP CUP. Presented by the Officers of the Shropshire Light Infantry -1 mile. For all Chins Ponies. Weight for inches as per scale. Ponica other than Subscription Griffins, bond fide Polo Ponies, and hacks, 10 ibs. extra. Second to receive \$10. Third to save stake. Entrance, \$3.

Mr Whitehead's Rocket, 11.11..... purely sanitary point of view, as well as Mr May's Thunderbolt, 11.8...(Mr May) from the points of view of good beef, Mr Wright's Porpoise, 10.12............... (Mr Manners)

Rocket went off with the lead and we nover headed. Thurderbolt beat Porpoise

2.—Polo Scurry, -350 yards. To be run in successive heats without dismounting until one Pony was twice. For all bond fide Polo Ponies. Catch weights over 11 st. 5 lbs. Prize presented by the Polo Club. Second to save stake, Entrance,

(Capt. Smythe) (Capt Thomas) Mr Cruicishank's Gobany, 11.5 (Mr Laudale)

Birfet won easily twice in succession,

3.-ONE MILE HANDICAP.-A Forced Entry for all China Ponice entered at this Meeting (except in Races, 2, 4 and 8). Entrance, \$1. Entrance fees with \$10 added to go to the Winner. Second to receive \$20. Third to save stake.

Mr Cruickehank's Liberty, 11.8 (Mr Cruickshank) Mr Gray's Sleadfast, 12.5 (Mr Master) .. (Mr Taylor) Colonel Baker's Pepper-and-alt, 11.4... Mr Landale's Asserian, 11. (Mr May)... Miss Barker's Flatterer, 10.9..... Mr Forbes' Leap Year, 10.6 (3 lbs over)

A good start. Steadfast was leading going past the Stand, but was held back, and Assyrian led for several furlongs, closely atbend Liberty and Steadfust came to front, and it was a race between these two was beaten, and Liberty got home an easy first. Fairplay, a bad third.

4.-POSTITION RACE.-1 mile. one Pony, and lead another. to save stake, Entrance, \$2.

(Capt. Thomas) 1Mr May Mr Master Hostage

Emerald Mr Landale 0 A poor race. Mr Landale's pair refused was so perfectly under registration, that to travel, and at the Bend Mr Master's everyone could be accounted for at will, couple parted company. Capt. Thomas won with case.

5.-THE SOUVENIR Cur.-Presented by Mrs Bury Pallisor. 3 mils. For Sub Race Meeting in Hongkong or China (Off Days not to count) 7 lbs. extra. Penalties accumulative. Second to receive \$10. Third to save stake. trance. \$3.

Mr Koswick's Solace, 11.3

... (Mr Cruickshank). Capt. Murray's Juniper, 11.5. (Capt. Thomas) Mr Landalo's Assyrian, 11.2 .. (Mr May) Solace had the best of a bad start ; Assyrian went in pursuit, but was passed by Juniper at the village. At the distance Solace had to be ridden to keep his place. He had no difficulty, however, in winning

6.—Steeple Chase. -- For all Chine Ponies. 10 lbs. artra. Prize Presented by the Polo Club. Second to receive \$10. Third to save stake. Entrance, \$3. Mr Hart Buck's Viper, 12.10.....

Mr Hart Buck Mr Cruickshank's Gobang, 11.4. (3lb. over) Mr Gruickshank 2 Mr Whitehead's Rocket, 12.0

for he refused at the first hurdle and afterfine style, and came in a considerable dis-

Officers of the Royal Artillery. I mile. Meeting 12 lbs. extra. Second to receive \$10. Third to save stake. Entrance, \$3. Net finished.

Not finished.

9. THE WELTER PLATE. - Presented by the Polo Club. Once round. For all China Polo Ponies, and hacks allowed 7 lbs. Second to receive \$10. Third to save stake. Entrance, \$3. Not finished.

10.—CHAMPION CUP.—Presented by H. E. Major-General Digby Borker, C.B. 11 ceive \$10. Third to save stake. Entrance, \$3. Not finished.

Wire regard to the Pall Mall Gazette's account of an interview with Lord Dunmore at Constantinople, his Lordship writes from Rawalpindi, says the Madras Mail, that the greater part of the reported conversation and all the questions and answers are purely imaginary' and adding that he has sent a strong disclaimer of the aggrandisement. whole thing to the Fall Mall Gazelte.

from the present meagre concession to six become a steady principle of action, further service. That ships' commissions class or clan feeling will be merged in the do not exceed three years in duration from | new power, but that what we may call the the time of leaving England to returning. And that income-tax be not levied upon the pay of officers serving abroad.

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THE FUTURE OF CHINA. We take the following extracts from review in the Australasian of Dr Pearson's interesting book entitled 'National Life

and Character; a Forecast':-Dr Pearson contends that the geographi. In very marked influence in diminishing percal limits of the higher races of mankind sonal energy, and repressing independence have been rigorously defined by nature, of thought. The outlook presented to us is and are therefore unchangeable. In sup- not a very agreeable one. Our morality port of this proposition he adduces a will then be the emasculate tenderness of powerful array of facts and arguments; those who shrink from violence, not thile he also shows that some of the because it is a transgression of order, but reputedly inferior races, as, for example, because it is noisy and coarse; and having the Chinese and Hindoos in Asia, and the outlived strong passions, and the energy by negroes in the United States and Brazil, which will translates itself into act, we multiply in a much greater ratio than the shall plume ourselves on having abolished Aryan peoples. Professor Gilman be- vice. Our intellectual discipline will be lieves that in 1920 the blacks in the eight | derived from the year-book and the review, old slave states (of the American Union) and our intellectual pleasure from the will be as 17,400,000 to 9,890,000 whites, French hovel. Oratory will be reduced that is, within measurable distance of more and more to debating; journalism tended by Pepper and Salt. Rounding the being two to one. In the East the Chi- will absorb an increased portion of the ness are steadily spreading themselves world's intellect; people will live much over the Straits Settlements, Borneo, and longer and enjoy better health; and, as old Sumatra. Indeed, far from being a sta- men will predominate in public affairs, for first place. At the distance, Steadfast tionary power, China has recovered there will be more stable political order, Eastern Turkestan from Mahommedan and greater efficiency of exact thought in rule and from a Russian protectorate, is their administration. There will be less dominating the Cores, and has stamped adventure, energy, brightness, and hope out a dangerous rebellion in Yaunan. less ambition; less aspiration; less vital Her influence and power, as a competitor power in the race, and a diminution of Riders to in the markets of the world, have yet to be be Members of the Polo Club. Second revealed, Dr Pearson thinks, for when her Finally, Dr Pearson sums up his concoal mines -the largest on the globe, clusions thus :- It is now more than cavering 200,000 square miles-her rail- probable that our scionce, our great and

Asia, from England and Germany. The outlook, owing to the inevitable expansion of the black and yellow races, which greatly exceeds in volume and velocity that of the Aryan peoples, is, in Dr. Pearson's view of the matter, a serious | cheerfully as our fathers faced the elernal if not an alarming one; for, he writes, the unrest, may be nobler training for our sculs day will come, and perhaps is not far than the faith in progress. This passage distant, when the coloured races of Asia, illustrates the spirit of pensive pessionsm Central and South America, and of the Congo and the Zambesi, under a domin- printely closes it. The speculations of its ant caste of foreign rulers, will be represcription Griffins of any year. Weight sented by fleets in the foreign seas, invited for inches as per scale. Winners at any to international conferences, and welcomed as allies in the quarrels of the civilised

world.' In that day, he adds, we shall wake to find ourselves elbowed and hustled, | sult of years of serious thought, and it disand perhaps even thrust aside by peoples plays in every chapter the evidences of that whom we looked down upon as servile, and | comprehensive knowledge of books; and thought of as bound always to minister to of those broad generalisations from a patiour needs.' But in all such estimates of ent and extensive accumulation of facts; to the future power of the 'inferior' races does not Dr Pearson lay too, much stress | 1. a chief value and its specific cliams. upon the element of quantity, and leave out of consideration that of quality? In mere numbers, the Persia of Xerxes was a RACE DETERIORATION IN ANGLO colossus among the nations of that period, and Grence a dwarf; but the genius, the courage, and the patriotism of the countrymen of Leonidas and Themistocies render-

army at Marathon equivalent to ten of the enemy; and we know the result. Dr Pearson reminds us that the break up From Black Rock Once Round and in. of a splendid political organisation under Anglo-Indians born, and partially bred, in Weight for inches as per scale. Ponics pressure from inferior or less highly dove- India and whose parents were also born other than Subscription Griffina and bond loped races has happened before now, and and bred under similar conditions. There fide Polo Ponies and backs, to carry 12 he quotes femiliar in tances of it both in is a natural tendency for the Anglo-Indian st. Previous winners of a Steeple-chase ancient and in mode in times, the fall of to bring his sons out to India, and the Rome being the most striking case in point. latter in their turn import their families But the agent of dissolution heretofore has into the East, and so there springs up a been war. Hereafter, he opines, the sup- new, peculiar race of English men and remacy of the inferior races is more likely women who visit England for a few short to be achieved by industrial progress than years only of their childhood or youth, and by military conquest; although, he antici- who are slowly but surely orientalised in Mr Manners 0 to be feared from her as a formidable who comes out to Madras to join the Indian The winner went off with a slight advantage, and Rocket was soon out of the race the author of this volume admits, to bred, in due course marries and has a son. President:—His Excellency Sir William wards got rid of his rider. Viper, beautiobitson, K.C.M.G.

The resources of Onius, no observes; the age of 6, his fond parents not being are immense; the capacity of its people able to part with him at an earlier age, and for toil is almost unlimited; and their is sent to school. Not being possessed of the capacity of its people able to part with him at an earlier age, and fully ridden, got over all the obstacles in for toil is almost unlimited; and their is sent to school. Not being possessed of the The Hon. Sir E. H. Fremautie, E. U. D.; tance about of Gobang, who had left the retains its habits, even when it is thrown crammer succeeds in obtaining a Com-America and Australia, who despise and Surgeon Major and Mrs Lancet, who have distrust asceticism.' And what is true of an appointment on the hills, and whose For all China Ponies. Weight for inches of Hindoos and negroes; so that, a century believe that the Hills are as good as as per scale. Previous winners at this or two hence, the pressure of the competi- England, keep their daughter with them

forced to confine himself within his own. Captain Quill, of the 50th Madras Native Ultimately he will have to conform to the Infantry. Exchange falls and times 8. -LADIES NOMINATION RACE. -1st Prize Oriental standard of existence, or, and this become hard, and the son and heir of presented by Mrs V. A. Casar Hawkins, is the probable solution, to stint the Captain Quill has to remain in India until 2nd Prize presented by the Polo Club. increase of population. If he does this by the age of 10, making sandry migrations to To saddle a pony on the Course at the methods that are inconsistent with moral- the Hills during that time. He is then winning post, mount, and ride round a ity, the very life springs of the race will be sent to England; but, his education making post about 200 yds. distant ; return, disc tainted. If he does it by a patient self- slow progress, he returns at the age of 17 mount, and receive a cigar and a box of restraint that shows itself in a limitation to the abode of his father, now Colonel Quill, matches from a Lady, light the cigar, to late marriages, national character will Paymester of Pensions at Villapuram. After mount, r de over the same course again be unimpaired, but material decline will some difficulty Colonel Quill obtains at ap-First past the winning post with cigar have commenced. With civilisation equal- pointment for his son in the Sait and Abalight and girths tight to wie. Entrance, ly diffused, the most populous country kari, or Police Department :- and so the \$1. Name of rider and nominator to must ultimately be the most powerful; and tale goes on. the preponderance of China over any rival -even over the United States of America -is likely to be overwhelming.

Ponies. Weight for inches with 21 lbs. of Islam as an aggressive military power going on in Anglo-Indian families is not in Eastern Asia, supposing India ever to well recognised. Even in the first generabecome independent of Great Britain. tion of Indian-born children deterioration According to an official estimate, there are shows itself, with few exceptions in from 20 to 25 millions of Moslams in diminished energy: a fact so well ro-China, where the accident of a leader of cognised by English schoolmasters that genius arising to combine the Mahommed allowances are often made for such children ans in a common organisation might at English Schools. Then there is that conceivably transfer sovereignty to a fol- most potent influence of early associamiles. For all China Ponies. Weight lower of Islam. In that case, continues tions. No matter how careful the for inches as per scale. Second to re- Dr Pearson, 'it is difficult to suppose that up-bringing of the young child, such in-China would not become an aggressive fluences must have their effect later in life ; military power, sending out her armies in and when this influence is brought to bear millions to cross the Himalayas and on successive generations of the same family, traverse the Stoppes, or occupying the islands and the northern parts of Apstralia fied. The history of families such as that by pouring in immigrants protected by fleets.' But this would entail the impoverishment and exhaustion of China, and Dr Pearson repeats his conviction that more greatest care and judgment in training and is to be dreaded from the industrial growth up bringing there is no escape from gradual of that empire than from its military but sure deterioration of body and mind.

of patriotic or national feeling as the almost him with an average Englishman of the A PANTHEET entitled Justice to Naval inevitable result of the modern state super- same age, and note the striking difference Officers has been issued from the office of seding the church in many of its functions, between the two. Energy, perseverance, Household Words, St. Bride-street, to and thereby obtaining a greater hold upon courage and moral fibre will all be in the (Mr Wright) 3 which the attention of members of Parlia- the popular imagination id asserting a minus quantity in the former. And what, ment is earnestly directed. It advocates a stronger claim upon the gracitude and affecnumber of reforms of importance to the tion of the mass of the people, Dr Pearson naval service, amongst them being the is led to anticipate that 'the spirit of unfollowing: -That officers receive additional calculating devotion to the common cause. pay or other consideration for service on which even in our own days has changed unhealthy stations. That the full-pay the face of half Europe and rescued society England, America or Australia; the leave after foreign service be increased from dissolution in North America, will rather than India -- Madras Mail, weeks per annum, such leave to be a right, serving to be accounted a faith, and lift and to be cumulative. That officers invall- all who feel it into a higher life. But ded or sent to hospital from causes due to gain will be counterbalanced by a selection for a man that's chasing his straw the service or to climate be maintained on loss; because, we are told, there is a possi- hat down the street. full pay until declared either fit or unfit for | bility ' that not only loyalty and faith and

> religion of the family will die out,' for, as the indissolubility of marriago promises to Shoulder Pains, Heartburn, Indigestion, Conprove untenable, the tie between parents stipation. Made only in London. Sold everyand children will be weakened, and as where. parental authori y becomes more and more relaxed, the sense of filial duty and obligapossibly be transmuted into love for father- | climates. Made in London.

In the concluding chapter, on the decay of character, the writer postulates the question 'whether the changes that increase the state may not diminish the sphere of individual energy; and whether state socialism which is regarded as the consummation of democracy, may not exercise

interest in all but the day's needs." wave, and her steam navigation come to be | real advance in the practice of government developed, and her technical training per- are only bringing us nearer to the day when feeted, 'she may wrest the control of the the highest races will lose their noblest eleworld's markets, especially throughout, ments, when we shall ask nothing from the day but to live, nor from the future but that we may not deteriorate. Even so, there will still remain to us, ourselves. Simply to do our work in life, and to shide the issue. if we stand erect before the eternal calm as in which the book is written, and approauthor, if they provoke dissent, will induce many persons to give more serious attention to the philosophy of history and to the trend of human events than they have tione hitherto. The work appears to be the rewhich Buckle's History of Civilitation owes

The question of schools on the Hills for Anglo Indian children brings up another question of greater importance still, and ed every man that fought in the Grecian | indeed a matter of the most vital import, not alone to Angle-Indian parents but also to the State. This matter is the gradual but steady increase from year to year of pates, China must sooner or later become mind and bod". To give an illustration of a great military power. But there is most this, let us take the case of an Englishmen chalism and protection in Europe tend, as be, who is an Englishman born and enhance prices and obstruct exchange. Young Master Quill proceeds to England at · The resources of China, he observes, the age of 6, his fond parents not being mass of the people lives ascetically, and Indian Civil Service, but by the aid of a among wasteful races like the English of mission in the Madras Staff Corps. the Chinese is more or less so, it is alleged, devotion to their children leads them to tion of these three races upon Europeans till the age of 12. Miss Lancet is then sent will be irresistible. The white man will to school in England for five years and be driven from every neutral market, and returns to India at sweet 17 to marry

known that the European race has a strong tendency to die out in India if not recruited There is, however, a possible alternative with fresh blood, yet the more slow but to this future, and that is the resurrection cortain process of degeneration that is the effect must gradually become intensigiven above is generally the same. The tendency is always downwards, and by the laws of Nature must be so. Even with the Take a young man in the third or fourth Speculating upon a more vigorous growth generation of such a family and compare it may be asked, is the moral of this to the Anglo-Indian parent? Send your children early to England or snywhere away from 'the East,' and if possible do not let them return. Get employment for your sons in England, America or Australia; anywhere

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WHITEWASHING ISCARIOT. The modern passion for whitewashing the infamous has not even spared Judas precise what forces are directly connected with Iscarlot. In 'Good Words' the Bishop the production of hale and happy old age. More of Ripon writes an article on the subject, certainly is involved in the process than more but since he looks on Judas as 'a type of strength of constitution. Healthy surroundings, the man without principles,' he cannot be contentment and active, temperate and regular reckoned among his spologists. A man cannot do worse than lack principles, and long at least as it is not carried beyond the limit be into the bargain such a hypocrite that necessary to permit of the timely repair of worn he probably thinks himself an exemplary tissues, is not only harmless but a conducive he probably thinks himself an exemplary circumstance. It is in fact, by living as for as character. We have the discomfort of possible a life in accordance with natural law believing that Judes possibly was elways that we may expect to reap the appropriate reable to persuade himself that his motives sult in its prolongation. Great care should be were high and holy. As to his conduct, taken to protect the system against the changes simpler ages than ours correctly regarded | which disease makes therein; coming misery him as the ertreme instance of badness, casts its shadows before it and intimates its He was the meanest of all destards, of approach by various signs, as a feeling of general all traitors the most treacherons. He weakness, neuralgic pains, nervous headsches betrayed the highest cause, the Supreme and rising of sour wind from the stomach, back-Master; he sold them both, and he sealed his crime with a kiss. It is absurd to toms, all tend to show that general debility is pretend that there is any loophole for Judes Iscariot. If there to be any moral indements at all, then Dante was right C. Whittington, 11 Coventry Place, South Melwhen he placed Judas even deeper down in bourne, who for some years was afflicted with the Inforno then Brutus and Cassius. The excessive nervous prestration, and who writes: opinion of the ages still calls traitors, like | - I have been suffering over four years with Murray of Broughton and others, by the noises in my head, caused by a fright a few days name of the faise apostle, on whom but one laster confinement. During the whole of this ray of dublous light is thrown by Biblical time the least excitement would make me very nervous, and it was with great difficulty that marrative. 'Et abiens se suspendit lacould do my household work, and have scarcely queo' ('Judas went and hanged himself'). ever had a proper night's rest, being continually He had at least the grace to save any disturbed with terrible dreams. I tried many human hand from the deep dishonour of touching such a rentile. There is another but nothing did any good until a friend recomversion of the story of his death, but this I mended Clemente Tonic. I took a large bottle is the more creditable to him, and suicide, and have much pleasure in testifying to the good in a Judas, is a redeeming virtue, unfortu- it has done me; the noises in my head are renately too rare. We do not hear that moved and I can rest at night new, and am fully Assynt choked on his catmonl, or that convinced that Clements Tonic does all that is

a curious study in psychology; he is not a poor fellow-creature whom we should pity rather than condemn. We only debilitate our sense of black and white, right and wrong, when we argue in this modern way. Say that Judas was no more responsible for being Judas than a rattlesnake is responsible for being a rattlesnake. But we kill rattlesnakes, and Iscariot did justice on himself. thing, in looking for excuses. A bad mun is a bad man, Henry VIII, has been whitewashed, as we all know-Henry, a prince | 25.-Aberdeen Dock. who intrigued with mercenary Scottish as 10.-Aberdeon Paper Mills Office, Wing to European officials in service of China the own Privy Council, that his kinsman 10A.—Aberdeen Paper Mills. James V should be kidnapped his own ter- 26 .- Alice Memorial Hospital, rittery as if he had been a Prince of Bulgaria. 24.—Auderson, Capt. G. C., Praya Central This is a pretty sort of scrupulous manarch, | 40. - Do. an immaculately pious person, quite apart 8.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co. from his domiestic misfortunes, and the alarming extent to which he made himself a widower. 59.—Bay View Hotel. But he has been defended, and Tiberius has | 66.—Blackhead & Co., Praya Central. had a few lilies thrown on his grave, and oven King John has had some kind of apology made for him; while the Regent Murray 36.— Do. do. Refinery Office. is the spoiled child of history. It only re- 36a. mained to find excuses for Judas Iscariot, 39.— The ordinary Catholic and also Protestant and human view of Judas is conspicuously | 42.- Canadian Pacific Railway Co. right. He was a thief, a hypocrite, and the | 3.—Cantlie, Dr J., Mount Kellet. meanest of traitors, For thirty pieces of 15.—Central Police Station. silver he did what half the Highlands re- 22.- 'China Mail' Office. fused to do for thirty thousand pieces of 55.—Cowie, Dr Alex., Queen's Gardens. gold. He did not turn traitor even to save his dirty life, as others have done. His 12.—' Daily Press' Office. companions were not molested; he might 41.—Dodwell, Carlill & Co. have slunk away if he was afraid. The 17.—Douglas Lapraik & Co. Bishop of Ripon thinks that Judas showed 'supreme folly' if he destroyed his own 14.-E. E. & A. China Telegraph Co., Ld. post as 'treasurer' of a poor company for about four pounds aterling. It might have 47 .- Gas Company, Ld., West Point. taken him long to steal as much, we reply, 48.—Do. do. East and the money was enough to buy a piece of 31.—Gibb, Livingston & Co. real property. Whately's theory is that 80. - Government Civil Hospital. Judas wanted to force the hand of his Mas- | 44, -Government House. ter, to harry things on, make an imposing miracle necessary, and bring matters to a | 6 .- Harrison, W. Stuart, Residence. point. This the Bishop of Ripon rejects. | 2 .- Drs Hartigan, Cantlie & Cowie. Judan had his warning given to him before | 27.—Holliday, Wise & Co. be committed his crime. Besides, there is 28.—Holliday, C. J., Residence. no reason to search for such subtleties. A 11.—Hongkong Club. mercenary traitor is a mercenary traitor, 58.—Hongkong Electric Co., Ld. De Quincey's theory is much the same as | 32 .- Hongkong Hotel (Public Telephone). Whately's. Professor Fairbairn, according to the Bishop, argues that Judas was a disappointed man, and took his revenge. He had expected a temporal kingdom; there was to be no temporal kingdom, therefore he avenged himself by treachery. This at all events does not clear the character of Iscariot, as Whately's theory might do, to a considerable extent. For it is undeniable that Judas took his reward. He purchased a field with the money, according to one version; in another, he threw the money down, and hanged himself. This version of course makes most for Whately's view, or at least implies remorse.

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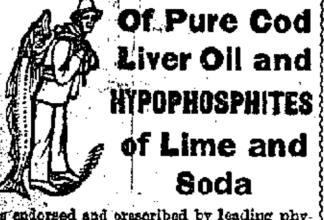
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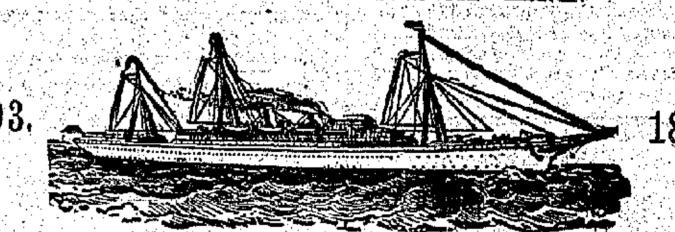
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